Data-Intensive Information Processing Applications — Session #12

Bigtable, Hive, and Pig

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Source: Wikipedia (Japanese rock garden)

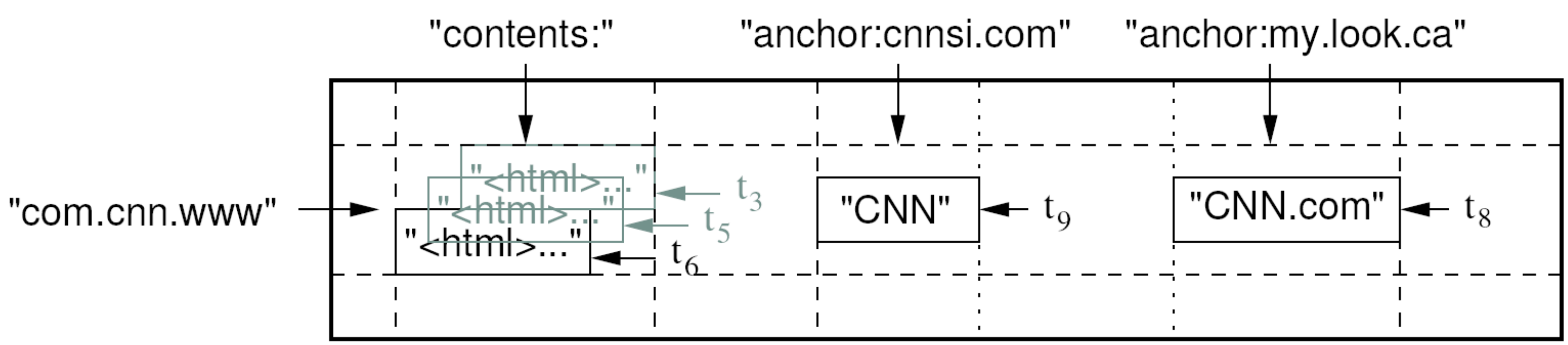
Today's Agenda

- Bigtable
- Hive
- Pig

Bigtable

Data Model

- A table in Bigtable is a sparse, distributed, persistent multidimensional sorted map
- Map indexed by a row key, column key, and a timestamp
  - (row:string, column:string, time:int64) $\rightarrow$ uninterpreted byte array
- Supports lookups, inserts, deletes
  - Single row transactions only



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Rows and Columns

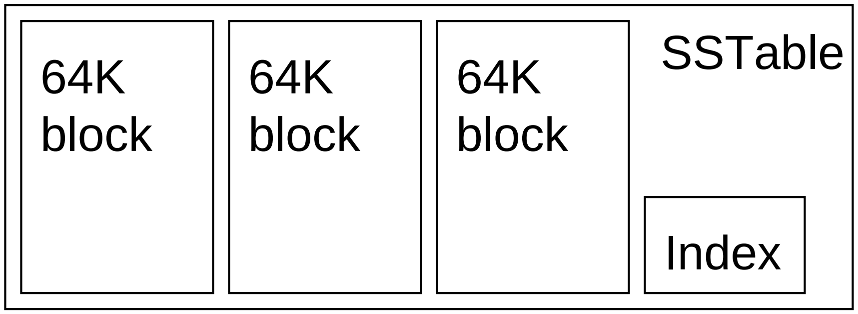
- Rows maintained in sorted lexicographic order
  - Applications can exploit this property for efficient row scans
  - Row ranges dynamically partitioned into tablets
- Columns grouped into column families
  - Column key = *family:qualifier*
  - Column families provide locality hints
  - Unbounded number of columns

Bigtable Building Blocks

- GFS
- Chubby
- SSTable

SSTable

- Basic building block of Bigtable
- Persistent, ordered immutable map from keys to values
  - Stored in GFS
- Sequence of blocks on disk plus an index for block lookup
  - Can be completely mapped into memory
- Supported operations:
  - Look up value associated with key
  - Iterate key/value pairs within a key range



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Tablet

- Dynamically partitioned range of rows
- Built from multiple SSTables

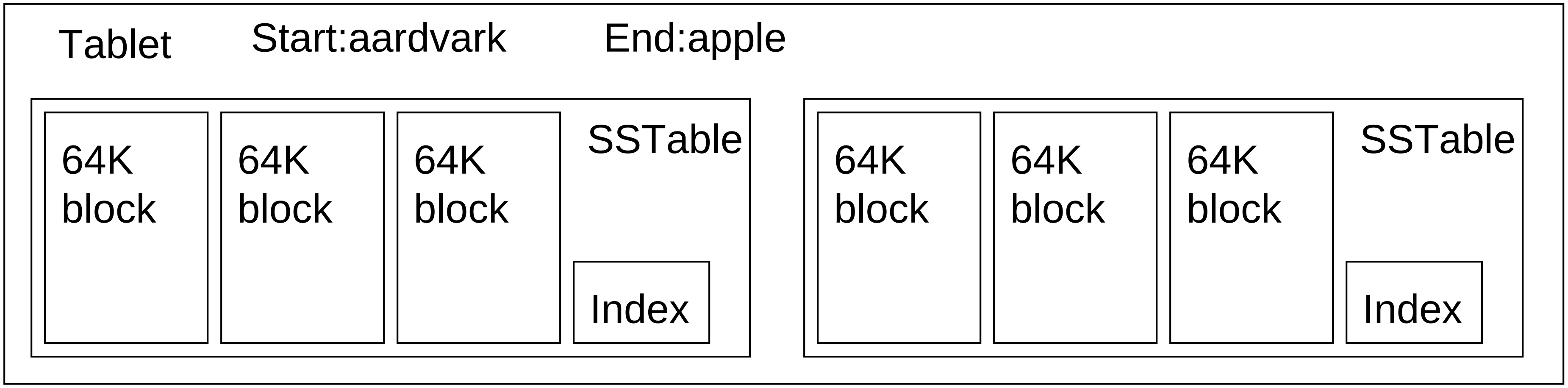

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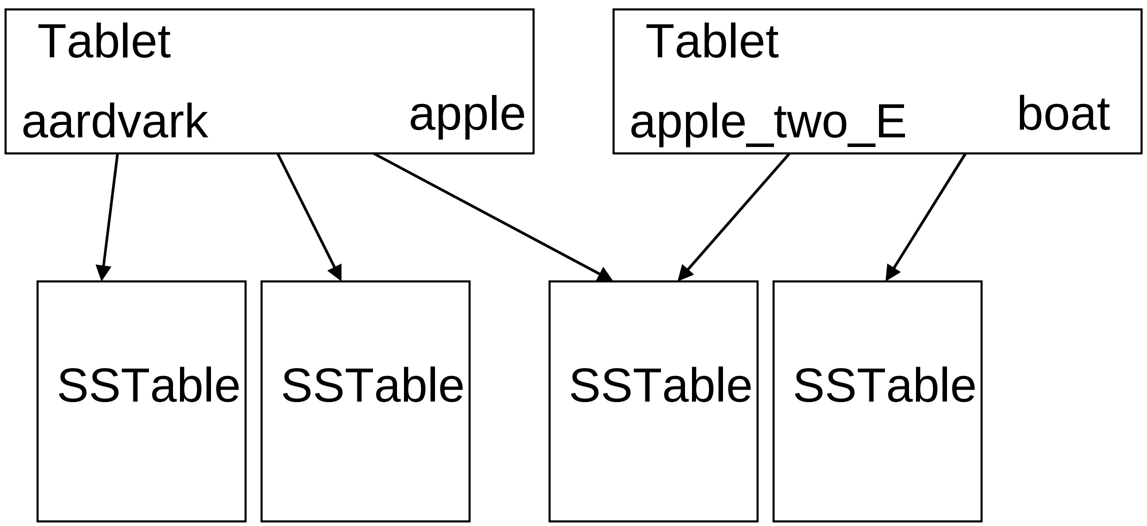
Table

- Multiple tablets make up the table
- SSTables can be shared



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Architecture

- Client library
- Single master server
- Tablet servers

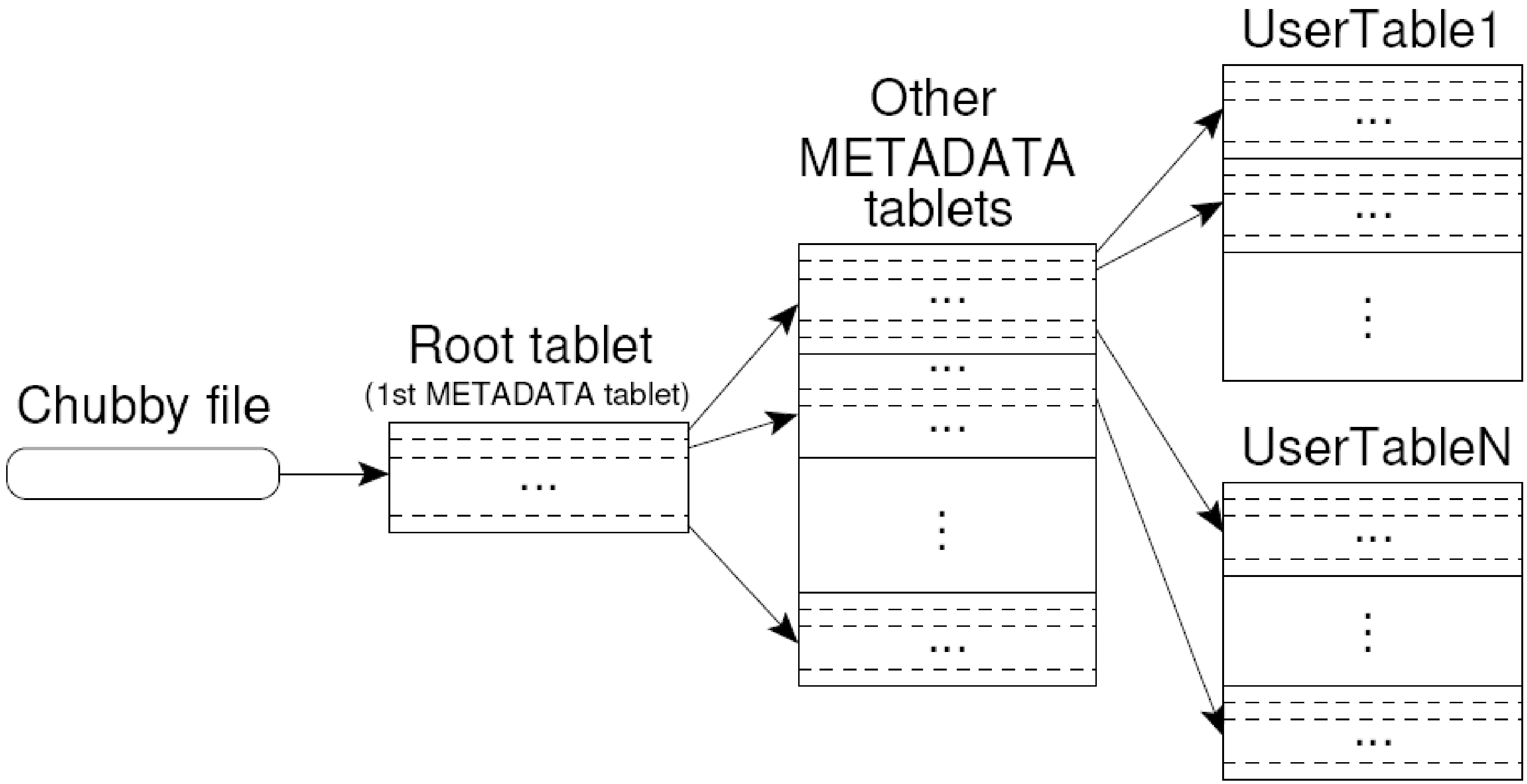
Bigtable Master

- Assigns tablets to tablet servers
- Detects addition and expiration of tablet servers
- Balances tablet server load
- Handles garbage collection
- Handles schema changes

Bigtable Tablet Servers

- Each tablet server manages a set of tablets
  - Typically between ten to a thousand tablets
  - Each 100-200 MB by default
- Handles read and write requests to the tablets
- Splits tablets that have grown too large

Tablet Location



Upon discovery, clients cache tablet locations

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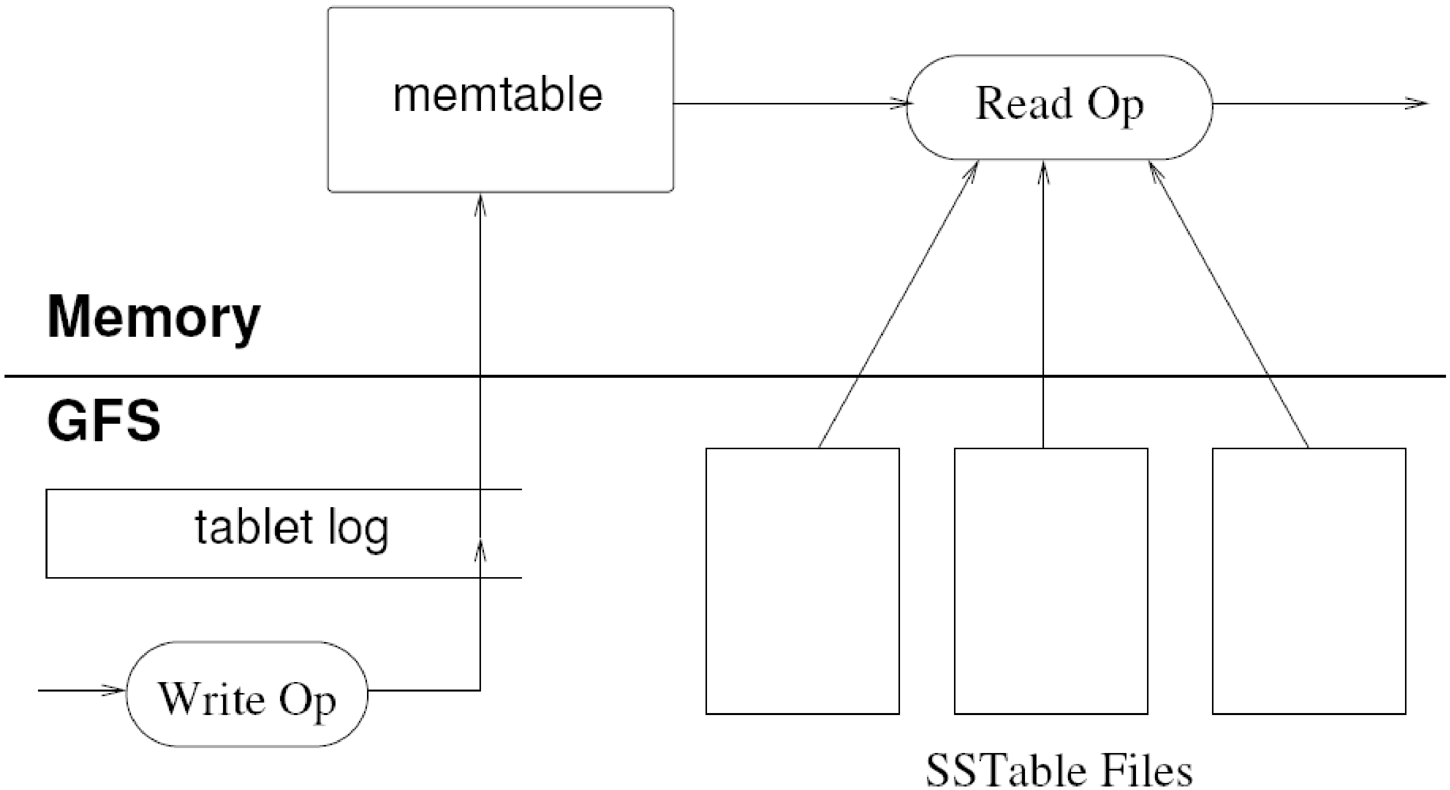
Tablet Assignment

- Master keeps track of:
  - Set of live tablet servers
  - Assignment of tablets to tablet servers
  - Unassigned tablets
- Each tablet is assigned to one tablet server at a time
  - Tablet server maintains an exclusive lock on a file in Chubby
  - Master monitors tablet servers and handles assignment
- Changes to tablet structure
  - Table creation/deletion (master initiated)
  - Tablet merging (master initiated)
  - Tablet splitting (tablet server initiated)

Tablet Serving



"Log Structured Merge Trees"

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Compactions

- Minor compaction
  - Converts the memtable into an SSTable
  - Reduces memory usage and log traffic on restart
- Merging compaction
  - Reads the contents of a few SSTables and the memtable, and writes out a new SSTable
  - Reduces number of SSTables
- Major compaction
  - Merging compaction that results in only one SSTable
  - No deletion records, only live data

Bigtable Applications

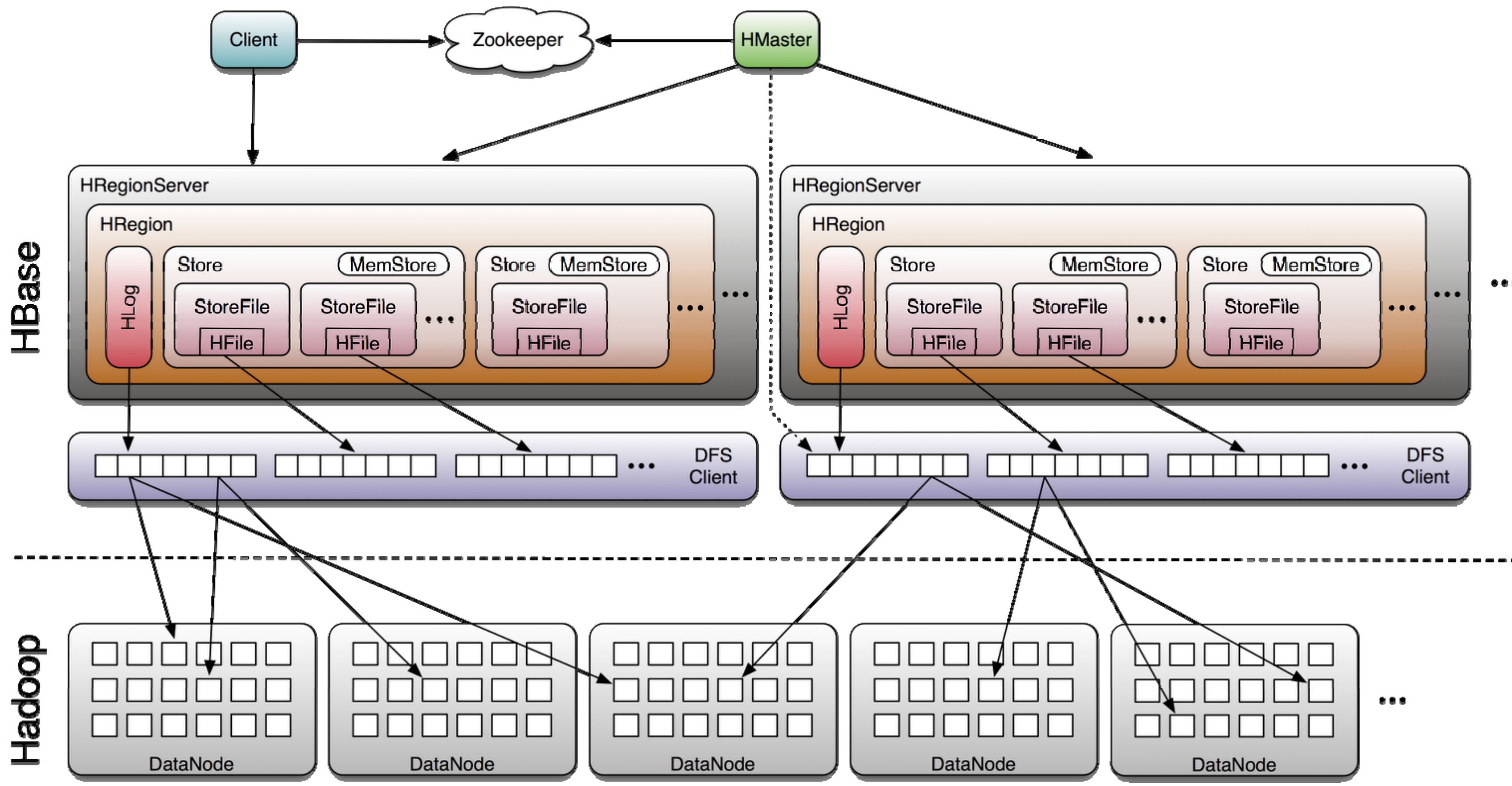
- Data source and data sink for MapReduce
- Google's web crawl
- Google Earth
- Google Analytics

Lessons Learned

- Fault tolerance is hard
- Don’t add functionality before understanding its use
  - Single-row transactions appear to be sufficient
- Keep it simple!

HBase

- Open-source clone of Bigtable
- Implementation hampered by lack of file append in HDFS



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Hive and Pig

Need for High-Level Languages

- Hadoop is great for large-data processing!
  - But writing Java programs for everything is verbose and slow
  - Not everyone wants to (or can) write Java code
- Solution: develop higher-level data processing languages
  - Hive: HQL is like SQL
  - Pig: Pig Latin is a bit like Perl

Hive and Pig

- Hive: data warehousing application in Hadoop
  - Query language is HQL, variant of SQL
  - Tables stored on HDFS as flat files
  - Developed by Facebook, now open source
- Pig: large-scale data processing system
  - Scripts are written in Pig Latin, a dataflow language
  - Developed by Yahoo!, now open source
  - Roughly 1/3 of all Yahoo! internal jobs

- Common idea:
  - Provide higher-level language to facilitate large-data processing
  - Higher-level language "compiles down" to Hadoop jobs

Hive: Background

- Started at Facebook
- Data was collected by nightly cron jobs into Oracle DB
- “ETL” via hand-coded python
- Grew from 10s of GBs (2006) to 1 TB/day new data (2007), now 10x that

Hive Components

- Shell: allows interactive queries
- Driver: session handles, fetch, execute
- Compiler: parse, plan, optimize
- Execution engine: DAG of stages (MR, HDFS, metadata)
- Metastore: schema, location in HDFS, SerDe

Data Model

- Tables
  - Typed columns (int, float, string, boolean)
  - Also, list: map (for JSON-like data)
- Partitions
  - For example, range-partition tables by date
- Buckets
  - Hash partitions within ranges (useful for sampling, join optimization)

Metastore

- Database: namespace containing a set of tables
- Holds table definitions (column types, physical layout)
- Holds partitioning information
- Can be stored in Derby, MySQL, and many other relational databases

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Physical Layout

- Warehouse directory in HDFS
  - E.g., /user/hive/warehouse
- Tables stored in subdirectories of warehouse
  - Partitions form subdirectories of tables
- Actual data stored in flat files
  - Control char-delimited text, or SequenceFiles
  - With custom SerDe, can use arbitrary format

Hive: Example

- Hive looks similar to an SQL database
- Relational join on two tables:
  - Table of word counts from Shakespeare collection
  - Table of word counts from the bible

```
SELECT s.word, s.freq, k.freq FROM shakespeare s
  JOIN bible k ON (s.word = k.word) WHERE s.freq >= 1 AND k.freq >= 1
  ORDER BY s.freq DESC LIMIT 10;
```

the	25848	62394
I	23031	8854
and	19671	38985
to	18038	13526
of	16700	34654
a	14170	8057
you	12702	2720
my	11297	4135
in	10797	12445
is	8882	6884

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Hive: Behind the Scenes

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```

(Abstract Syntax Tree)

(TOK_QUERY (TOK_FROM (TOK_JOIN (TOK_TABREF shakespeare s) (TOK_TABREF bible k) (= (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL s) word) (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL k) word)))) (TOK_INSERT (TOK_DESTINATION (TOK_DIR TOK_TMP_FILE)) (TOK_SELECT (TOK_SELEXPR (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL s) word)) (TOK_SELEXPR (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL s) freq)) (TOK_SELEXPR (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL k) freq))) (TOK_WHERE (AND (>= (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL s) freq) 1) (>= (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL k) freq) 1))) (TOK_ORDERBY (TOK_TABSORTCOLNAMEDESC (. (TOK_TABLE_OR_COL s) freq))) (TOK_LIMIT 10)))

(one or more of MapReduce jobs)

Hive: Behind the Scenes

```
STAGE DEPENDENCIES:
  Stage-1 is a root stage
  Stage-2 depends on stages: Stage-1
  Stage-0 is a root stage

STAGE PLANS:
  Stage: Stage-1
    Map Reduce
      Alias -> Map Operator Tree:
        s
          TableScan
            alias: s
            Filter Operator
              predicate:
                  expr: (freq >= 1)
                  type: boolean
              Reduce Output Operator
                key expressions:
                      expr: word
                      type: string
                sort order: +
                Map-reduce partition columns:
                      expr: word
                      type: string
                tag: 0
                value expressions:
                      expr: freq
                      type: int
                      expr: word
                      type: string
        k
          TableScan
            alias: k
            Filter Operator
              predicate:
                  expr: (freq >= 1)
                  type: boolean
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                key expressions:
                      expr: word
                      type: string
                sort order: +
                Map-reduce partition columns:
                      expr: word
                      type: string
                tag: 1
                value expressions:
                      expr: freq
                      type: int

      Reduce Operator Tree:
        Join Operator
          condition map:
               Inner Join 0 to 1
          condition expressions:
            0 {VALUE._col0} {VALUE._col1}
            1 {VALUE._col0}
          outputColumnNames: _col0, _col1, _col2
          Filter Operator
            predicate:
                expr: ((_col0 >= 1) and (_col2 >= 1))
                type: boolean
            Select Operator
              expressions:
                    expr: _col1
                    type: string
                    expr: _col0
                    type: int
                    expr: _col2
                    type: int
              outputColumnNames: _col0, _col1, _col2
              File Output Operator
                compressed: false
                GlobalTableId: 0
                table:
                    input format: org.apache.hadoop.mapred.SequenceFileInputFormat
                    output format: org.apache.hadoop.hive.ql.io.HiveSequenceFileOutputFormat

  Stage: Stage-2
    Map Reduce
      Alias -> Map Operator Tree:
        hdfs://localhost:8022/tmp/hive-training/364214370/10002
            Reduce Output Operator
              key expressions:
                    expr: _col1
                    type: int
              sort order: -
              tag: -1
              value expressions:
                    expr: _col0
                    type: string
                    expr: _col1
                    type: int
                    expr: _col2
                    type: int
      Reduce Operator Tree:
        Extract
          Limit
            File Output Operator
              compressed: false
              GlobalTableId: 0
              table:
                  input format: org.apache.hadoop.mapred.TextInputFormat
                  output format: org.apache.hadoop.hive.ql.io.HiveIgnoreKeyTextOutputFormat

  Stage: Stage-0
    Fetch Operator
      limit: 10
```

Hive Demo

Example Data Analysis Task

Find users who tend to visit "good" pages.

Visits

user	url	time
Amy	www.cnn.com	8:00
Amy	www.crap.com	8:05
Amy	www.myblog.com	10:00
Amy	www.flickr.com	10:05
Fred	cnn.com/index.htm	12:00

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Pages

url	pagerank
www.cnn.com	0.9
www.flickr.com	0.9
www.myblog.com	0.7
www.crap.com	0.2

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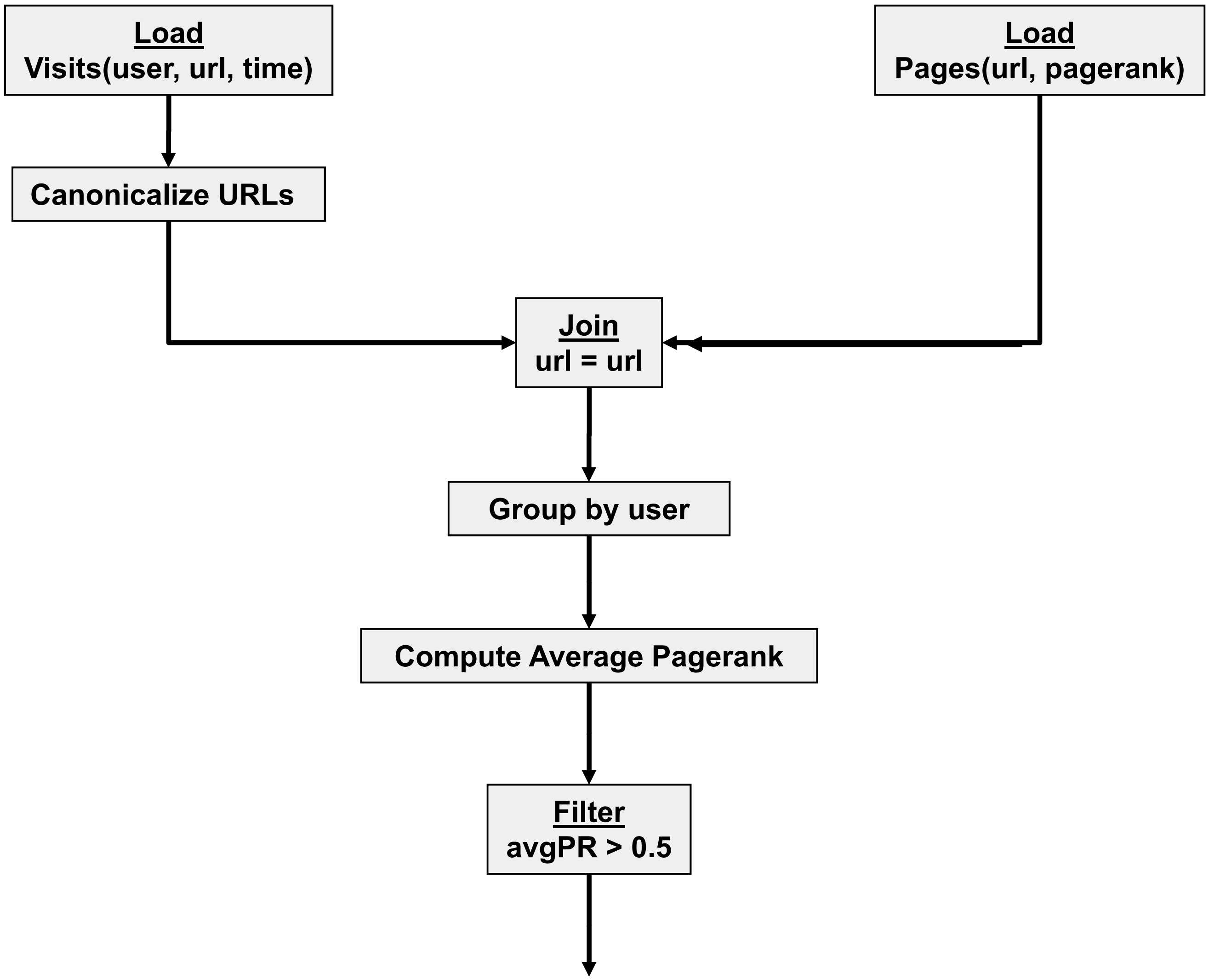
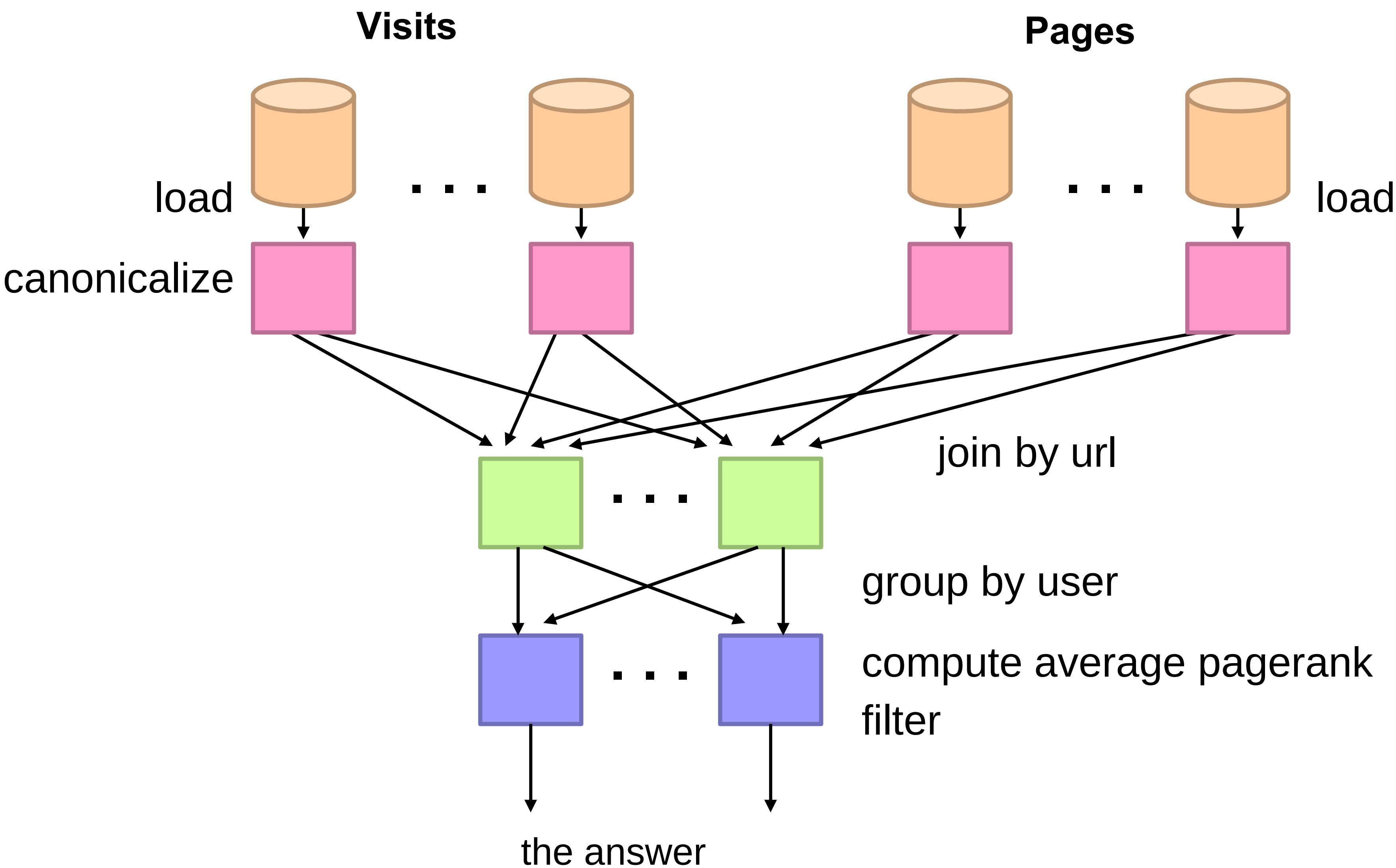
Conceptual Dataflow



System-Level Dataflow



MapReduce Code

```
import java.io.IOException;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.Iterator;
import java.util.List;

import org.apache.hadoop.fs.Path;
import org.apache.hadoop.io.LongWritable;
import org.apache.hadoop.io.Text;
import org.apache.hadoop.io.Writable;
i mport org.apache.hadoop.io.WritableComparable;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.FileInputFormat;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.FileOutputFormat;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.JobConf;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.KeyValueTextInputFormat;
import org.a    pache.hadoop.mapred.Mapper;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.MapReduceBase;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.OutputCollector;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.RecordReader;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.Reducer;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.Reporter;
imp ort org.apache.hadoop.mapred.SequenceFileInputFormat;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.SequenceFileOutputFormat;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.TextInputFormat;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.jobcontrol.Job;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.jobcontrol.JobC                ontrol;
import org.apache.hadoop.mapred.lib.IdentityMapper;

public class MRExample {
    public static class LoadPages extends MapReduceBase
        implements Mapper<LongWritable, Text, Text, Text> {

        public void map(LongWritable k, Text val,
                 OutputCollector<Text, Text> oc,
                Reporter reporter) throws IOException {
            // Pull the key out
            String line = val.toString();
            int firstComma = line.indexOf(',');
            String key = line.sub           string(0, firstComma);
            String value = line.substring(firstComma + 1);
            Text outKey = new Text(key);
            // Prepend an index to the value so we know which file
            // it came from.
            Text outVal = new Text("1            " + value);
            oc.collect(outKey, outVal);
        }
    }
    public static class LoadAndFilterUsers extends MapReduceBase
        implements Mapper<LongWritable, Text, Text, Text> {

        public void map(LongWritable k, Text val,
                    OutputCollector<Text, Text> oc,
                Reporter reporter) throws IOException {
            // Pull the key out
            String line = val.toString();
            int firstComma = line.indexOf(',');
            String value = line.substring(              firstComma + 1);
            int age = Integer.parseInt(value);
            if (age < 18 || age > 25) return;
            String key = line.substring(0, firstComma);
            Text outKey = new Text(key);
            // Prepend an index to the value so w                e know which file
            // it came from.
            Text outVal = new Text("2" + value);
            oc.collect(outKey, outVal);
        }
    }
    public static class Join extends MapReduceBase
        implements Reducer<Text, Text, Text, Text> {

        public void reduce(Text key,
                Iterator<Text> iter,
                OutputCollector<Text, Text> oc,
                Reporter reporter) throws IOException {
            // For each value, figure out which file it's from and
store it
            // accordingly.
            List<String> first = new ArrayList<String>();
            List<String> second = new ArrayList<String>();

            while (iter.hasNext()) {
                Text t = iter.next();
                String value = t.to            String();
                if (value.charAt(0) == '1')
first.add(value.substring(1));
                else second.add(value.substring(1));
                reporter.setStatus("OK");
            }

            // Do the cross product and collect the values
             for (String s1 : first) {
                for (String s2 : second) {
                    String outval = key + "," + s1 + "," + s2;
                    oc.collect(null, new Text(outval));
                    reporter.setStatus("OK");
                    }
            }
        }
    }
    public static class LoadJoined extends MapReduceBase
        implements Mapper<Text, Text, Text, LongWritable> {

        public void map(
                Text k,
                Text val,
                OutputColle         ctor<Text, LongWritable> oc,
                Reporter reporter) throws IOException {
            // Find the url
            String line = val.toString();
            int firstComma = line.indexOf(',');
            int secondComma = line.indexOf(',', first                  Comma);
            String key = line.substring(firstComma, secondComma);
            // drop the rest of the record, I don't need it anymore,
            // just pass a 1 for the combiner/reducer to sum instead.
            Text outKey = new Text(key);
             oc.collect(outKey, new LongWritable(1L));
        }
    }
    public static class ReduceUrls extends MapReduceBase
        implements Reducer<Text, LongWritable, WritableComparable,
Writable> {

        public void reduce(
                Text ke        y,
                Iterator<LongWritable> iter,
                OutputCollector<WritableComparable, Writable> oc,
                Reporter reporter) throws IOException {
            // Add up all the values we see

            long sum = 0;
            wh     ile (iter.hasNext()) {
                sum += iter.next().get();
                reporter.setStatus("OK");
            }

            oc.collect(key, new LongWritable(sum));
        }
    }
    public static class LoadClicks extends MapReduceBase
        i   mplements Mapper<WritableComparable, Writable, LongWritable,
Text> {

        public void map(
                WritableComparable key,
                Writable val,
                OutputCollector<LongWritable, Text> oc,
                Reporter reporter)             throws IOException {
            oc.collect((LongWritable)val, (Text)key);
        }
    }
    public static class LimitClicks extends MapReduceBase
        implements Reducer<LongWritable, Text, LongWritable, Text> {

        int count = 0;
        public      void reduce(
            LongWritable key,
            Iterator<Text> iter,
            OutputCollector<LongWritable, Text> oc,
            Reporter reporter) throws IOException {

            // Only output the first 100 records
            while (count         < 100 && iter.hasNext()) {
                oc.collect(key, iter.next());
                count++;
            }
        }
    }
    public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
        JobConf lp = new JobConf(MRExample.class);
        lp.se    tJobName("Load Pages");
        lp.setInputFormat(TextInputFormat.class);
        lp.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
        lp.setOutputValueClass(Text.class);
        lp.setMapperClass(LoadPages.class);
        FileInputFormat.addInputPath(lp, new
Path("/  user/gates/pages"));
        FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(lp,
            new Path("/user/gates/tmp/indexed_pages"));
        lp.setNumReduceTasks(0);
        Job loadPages = new Job(lp);

        JobConf lfu = new JobConf(MRExample.class);
        lfu.s    etJobName("Load and Filter Users");
        lfu.setInputFormat(TextInputFormat.class);
        lfu.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
        lfu.setOutputValueClass(Text.class);
        lfu.setMapperClass(LoadAndFilterUsers.class);
        FileInputFormat.add         InputPath(lfu, new
Path("/user/gates/users"));
        FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(lfu,
            new Path("/user/gates/tmp/filtered_users"));
        lfu.setNumReduceTasks(0);
        Job loadUsers = new Job(lfu);

        JobConf join = new JobConf(            MRExample.class);
        join.setJobName("Join Users and Pages");
        join.setInputFormat(KeyValueTextInputFormat.class);
        join.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
        join.setOutputValueClass(Text.class);
        join.setMapperClass(IdentityMap             per.class);
        join.setReducerClass(Join.class);
        FileInputFormat.addInputPath(join, new
Path("/user/gates/tmp/indexed_pages"));
        FileInputFormat.addInputPath(join, new
Path("/user/gates/tmp/filtered_users"));
        FileOutputFormat.se         tOutputPath(join, new
Path("/user/gates/tmp/joined"));
        join.setNumReduceTasks(50);
        Job joinJob = new Job(join);
        joinJob.addDependingJob(loadPages);
        joinJob.addDependingJob(loadUsers);

        JobConf group = new JobConf(MRE             xample.class);
        group.setJobName("Group URLs");
        group.setInputFormat(KeyValueTextInputFormat.class);
        group.setOutputKeyClass(Text.class);
        group.setOutputValueClass(LongWritable.class);
        group.setOutputFormat(SequenceFi             leOutputFormat.class);
        group.setMapperClass(LoadJoined.class);
        group.setCombinerClass(ReduceUrls.class);
        group.setReducerClass(ReduceUrls.class);
        FileInputFormat.addInputPath(group, new
Path("/user/gates/tmp/joined"));
         FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(group, new
Path("/user/gates/tmp/grouped"));
        group.setNumReduceTasks(50);
        Job groupJob = new Job(group);
        groupJob.addDependingJob(joinJob);

        JobConf top100 = new JobConf(MRExample.class);
         top100.setJobName("Top 100 sites");
        top100.setInputFormat(SequenceFileInputFormat.class);
        top100.setOutputKeyClass(LongWritable.class);
        top100.setOutputValueClass(Text.class);
        top100.setOutputFormat(SequenceFileOutputF                 ormat.class);
        top100.setMapperClass(LoadClicks.class);
        top100.setCombinerClass(LimitClicks.class);
        top100.setReducerClass(LimitClicks.class);
        FileInputFormat.addInputPath(top100, new
Path("/user/gates/tmp/grouped"));
         FileOutputFormat.setOutputPath(top100, new
Path("/user/gates/top100sitesforusers18to25"));
        top100.setNumReduceTasks(1);
        Job limit = new Job(top100);
        limit.addDependingJob(groupJob);

        JobControl jc = new JobControl("Find top                 100 sites for users
18 to 25");
        jc.addJob(loadPages);
        jc.addJob(loadUsers);
        jc.addJob(joinJob);
        jc.addJob(groupJob);
        jc.addJob(limit);
        jc.run();
    }
}
```

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Pig Latin Script

```
Visits = load    '/data/visits' as (user, url, time);
Visits = foreach Visits generate user, Canonicalize(url), time;

Pages = load    '/data/pages' as (url, pagerank);

VP = join    Visits by url, Pages by url;
UserVisits = group   VP by user;
UserPageranks = foreach UserVisits generate user,
AVG(VP.pagerank) as avgpr;
GoodUsers = filter  UserPageranks by avgpr > '0.5';

store   GoodUsers into '/data/good_users';
```

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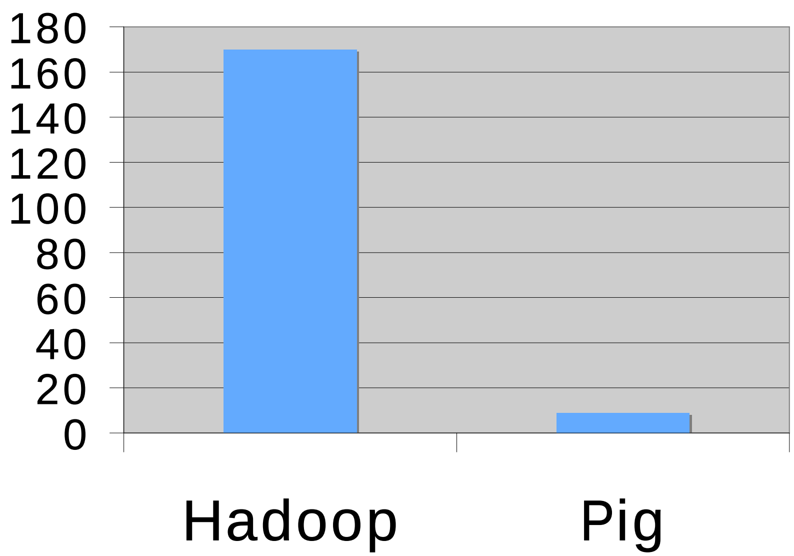
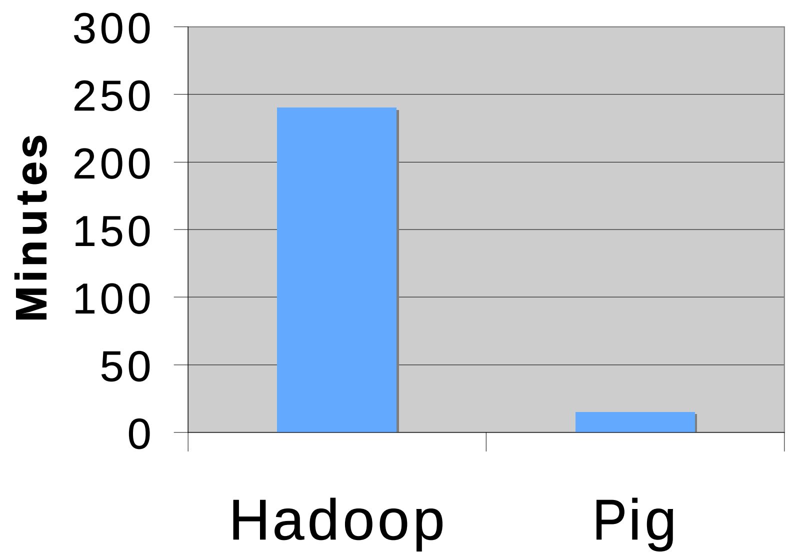
Java vs. Pig Latin

1/20 the lines of code



1/16 the development time



Performance on par with raw Hadoop!

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Pig takes care of…

- Schema and type checking
- Translating into efficient physical dataflow
  - (i.e., sequence of one or more MapReduce jobs)
- Exploiting data reduction opportunities
  - (e.g., early partial aggregation via a combiner)
- Executing the system-level dataflow
  - (i.e., running the MapReduce jobs)
- Tracking progress, errors, etc.

Pig Demo

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